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PATENT Attorney Docket No. 01165.0965

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re A	Application of:	
Yosuk	te ANDO et al.	Group Art Unit: 3724
Application No.: 10/594,743		Examiner: Swinney, Jennifer B.
Filed:	September 29, 2006	
For:	MATERIAL GUIDE DEVICE AND	Confirmation No.: 4935

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed March 26, 2010 the period of response to which being extended to September 27, 2010 (September 26, 2010 being a Sunday) by a concurrent three month Request for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are included in this paper.

Remarks follow the claims amendment section of this paper.